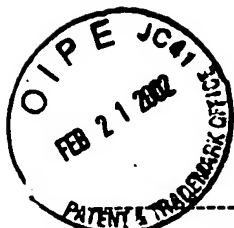


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Sir:

An Information Disclosure Statement is submitted herewith pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.97-1.98. The enclosed statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of a national application, or within three months of the date of entry into the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR §1.491 in an international application, or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever event occurs last.

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